

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF: David A. Thompson et al.

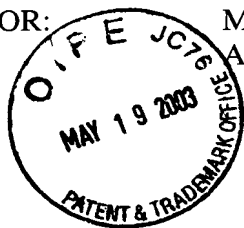
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EXAMINER: Wai Sing Louie

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FOR: Method for Locally Modifying the Effective Bandgap Energy in Indium Gallium Arsenide Phosphide (InGaAsP) Quantum Well Structures



REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME  
UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.136

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SIR:

It is hereby requested that a **TWO** month extension of time be granted to **May 18, 2003 (May 19<sup>th</sup> due date fell on a Sunday)** for

- ☐ filing a response to the Official Action dated:
- ☐ responding to the requirements in the Notice of Allowability dated:
- ☐ responding to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application dated:
- ☐ filing a Notice of Appeal. A timely response to the final rejection, due has been filed.
- ☐ filing an Appeal Brief. A Notice of Appeal was filed on:
- ☒ Filing a Request for Continued Examination

The required fee of **205.00**

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